Microsoft Receives Backlash Over Minecraft Moderation Changes

Ever since Minecraft's release, fans have set up servers to allow for multiplayer in the game. However, a recent update is causing concern among server moderators and players alike, as Microsoft is moving to implement its own moderation on top of the already-existing tools provided to server owners.

For several years now, Minecraft has been split into two versions. The Java Edition allows for more freedom with modding and server hosting, while the Bedrock edition allows cross-platform multiplayer, implements microtransactions, and gives its server owners less freedom.

A Deep Dive into Minecraft 1.19.1's Report System

To accommodate the chat reporting system, chat messages are now signed using the user's keypair. There is a setting under Options ? Chat Settings... ? Only Show Secure Chat that toggles whether messages with invalid signatures are hidden. This setting is off by default at the time of writing (1.19.1-pre1).

3.5 million cyber security jobs will open up by 2025

Pointing out how the world is facing a major workforce shortage in the cybersecurity sector, Kate Behncken, vice-president and global head of Microsoft Philanthropies, on Friday, said that there would be 3.5 million open roles in cyber security around the world by 2025.
Speaking at the launch of CyberShikshaa initiative, launched by Microsoft India in collaboration with ICT Academy as part of its ongoing commitment to create a robust cybersecurity ecosystem in the country, Behncken said, "The number of cyber security incidents in India have increased from 2.9 lakh in 2018 to almost 1.5 million in 2021.

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**Cisco announces plan to exit Russia and Belarus** [5]

The networking company first made a statement on March 3, declaring that it would be halting all business operations in Russia and Belarus "for the foreseeable future." On Thursday the company released another statement, noting that it had continued to "closely monitor" the war in Ukraine and as a result, a decision had been made to "begin an orderly wind-down of our business in Russia and Belarus."

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**After years of delay, Plex replaces its desktop media player client** [6]

Mediaphiles have had years to cope with the imminent demise of the Plex Media Player. Plans were first announced in August of 2019, right when the Plex had also released its intended replacement, the Home Theater PC app. Outrage from the crowd stopped everything in its tracks for three years, but at last, Plex is now calling time of death for PMP. Long live HTPC.

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